

MANY ARE CLEARED OF OLD CHARGES

District Attorney Baker
Drops Cases of 160 Ac-
cused Persons.

RALEIGH HOTEL MEN NOT PROSECUTED

Some of Those Affected Are Dead,
Others Serving Jail
Sentences.

One hundred and sixty persons were relieved of criminal charges pending against them by the action of District Attorney Baker, who this morning nolle prossed the cases. Some of the charges have been pending for ten years; others have been brought in since Mr. Baker took charge of the office. Many of the accused are serving sentences for similar offenses, and some have died. In other cases the prosecuting witnesses have failed to appear.

Among the long list was the indictment brought against Olive McKenzie, the young woman who on November 21, 1907, abandoned her two-weeks-old baby on the doorstep of former Justice of the Supreme Court Henry B. Brown. She was placed in the House of Mercy and the proceedings against her dropped.

White Also Cleared.

Carl White, the negro porter who was held by the grand jury in connection with the death last September of Mrs. Lottie Harrison, the wealthy New Orleans woman who was killed while the Southern train upon which she rode was passing through the Union Station tunnel, is also relieved of the charges against him. White was supposed to have seen it that the door of the Pullman car in his charge was properly fastened, and when Mrs. Harrison attempted to pass from one car to the other, she was thrown against the door, which gave way, allowing her to fall to the tracks. Mr. Baker believes that the fatality was the result of an accident which was unavoidable.

Larry Brown also benefits by the wholesale clearing of the District Attorney's dockets. He was charged with manslaughter in connection with the death last September of Andrew Jackson, Jackson died, it was alleged, as the result of a blow received when Brown threw a heavy stone. The evidence showed that the stone was thrown while Brown was protecting himself within his legal rights.

Prosecution Abandoned.

The prosecution upon the conspiracy charge brought against Jerome J. Rafferty, Frank S. Mahoney, Herman Berger, Guy C. Wines and Nevios Reed, former employees of the Raleigh Hotel, who were accused of having mixed their accounts, also has been abandoned. The sole pros of these indictments, it is said, was made upon the request of the hotel management.

Charges involving an alleged violation of the eight-hour law, which were brought against the Pennsylvania Bridge Company on October 1, 1906, will not be pressed. This company was cited while under contract for the erection of a bridge over Piney Branch, near the fourteenth street. Pines were paid in Police Court by the concern about that time for similar offenses.

"JUST DROPPED IN," SAYS JAMES J. HILL

Railroader Calls on President.
Back From Fishing Trip on
St. Lawrence.

James J. Hill, the railroad magnate, had a talk with President Taft today and when he emerged from the Executive Office was breathing prophecies of good times.

"The farmers," said Mr. Hill, "are going to have good crops this year and will get fine prices for their products. I do not look for bumper crops anywhere in the country, but they will average up very well. I did not have any business of importance with the President, but was in Washington and just dropped in for a talk."

CANADIANS GIVEN LOW TARIFF RATES

PARIS, July 14.—Under the terms of the amended Franco-Canadian commercial treaty, which has passed the chamber of deputies with considerable opposition, Canada will receive all the minimum rates of the French tariff, with the exception of the rate on cattle fattened for slaughter, which will pay the general tariff.

JOHNSON SUFFERS FROM OLD AILMENT

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 14.—A fourth operation for appendicitis on Governor Johnson may be necessary, as the governor is seriously ill at his apartments with the same intestinal complaint that has bothered him for some time.

He has already submitted to three operations.

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HOUSE BALL GAME TRAINING IS RIGID

Representatives Round Into Form for Baseball Contest
Friday—Highballs, Pies, and Long Speeches
Under the Ban.

Representative Tener of Pennsylvania, captain of the Republican baseball team of the House, which will clash for honors with the Democratic team under Representative Garner, Friday, has put his aggregation of stars on a training schedule and diet.

No more highballs or mint juleps, no more Capitol pie, no more late hours. Even lengthy speeches have been prohibited. Very quietly Captain Tener trotted his team down to the White House lot to give them a workout last evening. A group of small boys on their way home from the swimming pool were the only spectators. Their criticisms of the statesmen's form were very unparliamentary, not to say uncomplimentary.

"Huh," said one small kid, who had his bathing suit slung knapsack fashion over his back. "Dem guys play ball like a bunch of lemons."

Game On Friday.

The Wright Brothers and their aeroplane will be entirely eclipsed as an attraction for members of Congress Friday, when the much-discussed baseball game will be played at the league park. Some delay in fixing the date has been caused by the difficulty in choosing the teams, but Friday has at last been fixed upon. It is hoped the President and Cabinet will be able to attend. "Uncle Joe" Cannon has promised to sit in the grandstand and Vice President Sherman will umpire. It is confidently expected it will be the greatest baseball function of the year on this or any other diamond. The Senate will adjourn to witness the game, and the House will attend en masse. The

proceeds will be to charity, and any member of Congress who goes to the game and doesn't show his sporting blood by rooting diligently and setting his hat and socks will be ostracized. Vice President Sherman is diligently reading up on the rules. He has become an adept at the Senate rules, and he intends to apply the baseball rules just as impartially as he does those of the Senate. No score partnership will be allowed to induce him to give the Democratic team the worst of it.

Will Defend Players.

If necessary, "Uncle Joe" will take the mace, known in House parlance as "the bird," down from its perch, and have it on hand at the game to defend the umpire and to enforce the decisions. The Republican team, which Representative Tener has picked, will consist of:

Anthony and Vreeland, first base. Cole and Butler, right field. Dawson and Taylor, left field. Bennett, second base. Thomas, third base.

Tener and Moorehead, shortstop. Longworth and Slomp, centerfield. Burke and Denby, catcher. Games and Hawley, pitcher.

Tener has provided for a number of substitutes in case some of his team give out.

Representative Garner has picked the following as the Democratic team: Garner, shortstop. McDermott, centerfield. Kinkaid, catcher. James, first base. Hughes, left field. Garrett, third base. Driscoll, right field. Hefflin and Robinson, pitcher. O'Connell, shortstop.

The teams include some of the largest men in the House. Tener, Anthony, Gaines, James, and Hefflin are among the six-footers in Congress.

GREECE AND TURKEY PREPARING FOR WAR

Clash Expected to Follow Turks' Action in Driving
Greeks Back From Frontiers—Troops of Both
Countries Being Mobilized.

SALONIKA, July 14.—War between Greece and Turkey will follow, it is believed, the action of the Turkish government in driving Greeks off the Turkish frontier. The entire third army corps has been mobilized, the various regiments pouring into this section for several days past. When the mobilization was completed, the corps, under orders from Constantinople, began clearing all Greek bands from the Turkish frontier.

No Greek was spared. Everyone was compelled to shut up his store and house and leave immediately.

The Turkish commander told the Greeks that the reason they were so precipitately ordered to leave the Turkish frontier was that they were spies. The Greeks resented the charge that they were spies and the hurried order to leave their homes and businesses.

There were numerous clashes between the Turkish troops and armed bands of the Greeks, in which many volleys were fired. The Greeks lost several killed and a number wounded.

It is believed in diplomatic circles here that this move on the part of the Turkish officials will precipitate an immediate outbreak of hostilities. A declaration of war on the part of Greece is momentarily expected. The Turkish government has been making active preparations for some time past to enter into a war with the Greeks, believing that it was inevitable.

Since the announcement of the powers that their representatives were to be withdrawn from Crete, both Greece and Turkey have been mobilizing troops

along the frontier. Despite the warning of the powers that the present status of Crete under Turkish rule, nominally—must be maintained, both the Sultan and King George are preparing for hostilities, with Crete as the excuse.

The situation in Turkey makes it practically impossible for the new Young Turk government to refuse to declare war owing to the fact that the occupation of Crete by the Greeks would inevitably result in the downfall of the new administration. On the other hand if King George refuses to listen to the demand of the Crean Greeks that the island be annexed to Greece, it will pave the way for his abdication. The powers have informed Greece and Turkey that the withdrawal of the European representatives from Crete will take place on July 24, and that date is expected to mark the beginning of the real struggle.

BUYS THOMAS CAT FOR RECORD PRICE

Chicago Woman the Happy Buyer
of Rob Roy II, for
\$525.

LONDON, July 14.—What is believed to be the highest price ever paid here for a domestic cat, namely, \$525, was given by Mrs. Lynas, of Chicago, for Rob Roy II, England's champion male chinchilla Persian, the winner of numerous prizes.

The animal will be sent to the United States on the steamer Majestic.

CHANCES ARE SLIM TO AVERT TROUBLE

Bolivian Army Threatens
War With Peru Despite
All Restraint.

LA PAZ, Bolivia, July 14.—Though President Montes is anxious to restrain the Bolivians, it is hardly possible that he will be able to keep the army in check. If the army comes out for the war party, it is hardly possible that Montes will be able to prevent war with Peru, in which Argentina may be involved.

The President of Argentina, as arbitrator, awarded the rich Acre country to Peru, though Bolivia claimed it. The war party is insisting that President Montes shall refuse to abide by the decision, but shall declare war. Warlike demonstrations against Peru continue in nearly all the cities and Peruvians are fleeing from Bolivia. The Bolivian press is a unit in demanding that Bolivia refuse to accept the decision of the arbitrator.

The Argentine minister is still here, though he may be withdrawn as a result of the numerous insults he has been subjected to.

PLAN OIL PIPE LINE ACROSS TWO STATES

Approval Given to Prairie Com-
pany's Request to Extend
Its Mains.

Approval was given today by Acting Secretary of the Interior Pierce, of the right of way for the Prairie Oil and Gas Company's projected eight-inch pipe line, which will carry oil from a pool in Tulsa county, in the Glenn Pool, through the Creek, Cherokee, and Choctaw nations southeasterly to the Arkansas line—a distance of 151 miles.

The company also plans another line from the termination of the one to which approval was given today to their refinery at Baton Rouge, La.

Heretofore the pipe line facilities have been inadequate, and none of the refineries were disposed to undertake new projects with the rule of the department in force.

THAW WILL TAKE STAND FOR SELF

Wife Also to Be Called
Again as a Witness for
the State.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., July 14.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw will go back on the stand again today as a witness for the State, while Thaw himself will take the stand in his own defense on Monday and submit to the grueling examination of the State's attorneys.

Attorney Morschauer today declared he would place Thaw on the stand and allow Deputy Attorney General Roger Clark to ask him any questions he saw fit, stipulating that the State's experts shall not question Thaw regarding his actions prior to the killing of Stanford White.

Clark objected to this stipulation, declaring that if Thaw suffered from paranoia, as alleged, he has systematized delusions which existed prior to the killing of White, and which ought to be brought out.

"There will be ample opportunity to question Thaw when he is placed on the stand," declared Justice Mills, "and if the defense does not place him on the stand, I'll order him there myself."

It has been agreed by the attorneys that the experts will make their examination of Thaw in open court, after all the lay witnesses for him have completed their testimony.

Miss Anna G. W. Dayley, of Poughkeepsie, a member of the bar, was the first witness for Thaw today. She said she had called on Thaw a number of times in the Poughkeepsie jail to take affidavits of special witnesses. Thaw furnished her the memoranda of what the witnesses knew.

Miss Dayley said Thaw was "decidedly rational" in all his conversations with her.

Thomas Ehlander, a dentist of Poughkeepsie, attended Thaw's teeth in Matteawan. He discussed insanity with his patient who said to him:

"I believe the line of demarcation between the sane and the insane is sharply defined. My attorneys here believe I am sane and that I will soon be free."

The witness declared that Thaw was "perfectly rational in every respect."

Mrs. Mary Murnane, matron of the jail in Poughkeepsie, said she had met Thaw often and that he appeared rational at all times.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

The Canadian Rockies

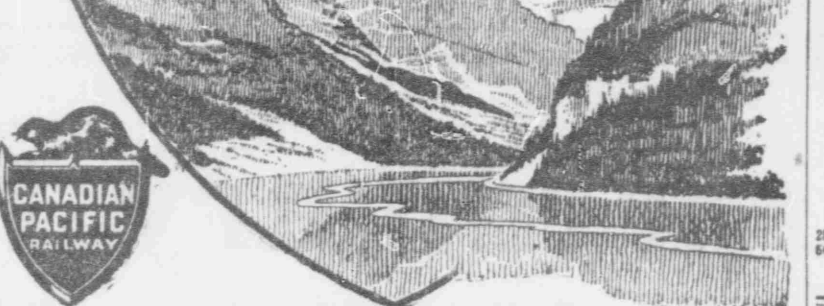
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